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This application is now in a condition for allowance, and the prosecution is closed.

However, in view of the Secrecy Order filed on 11/17/00 under 35 USC (1952) § 181, this application will be withheld from issue during such period as the national interest requires.

1. This communication is responsive to ____.
2. The allowed claim(s) is/are 1-19.
3. Acknowledgment is made of a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d).
 - a) All b) Some* c) None of the CERTIFIED copies of the priority documents have been
 1. received.
 2. received in Application No. (Series Code / Serial Number). ____.
- * Certified copies not received: ____.
4. Acknowledgement is made of a claim for domestic priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(e).
5. The proposed drawing correction filed on ____ is: a) approved b) disapproved.

Attachment(s)

Notice of References Cited (PTO-892)
 Notice of Draftperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948)
 Information Disclosure Statements (PTO-1449), Paper No. ____.
 Examiner's Comment Regarding Requirement for Deposit of Biological Material

Notice of Informal Patent Application (PTO-152)
 Interview Summary (PTO-413), Paper No. ____.
 Examiner's Amendment/Comment
 Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance
 Other